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R 221620Z AUG 77
FM AMEMBASSY BRASILIA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3352
INFO AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO
AMCONSUL SAO PAULO
AMCONSUL BELEM
NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES ST. PETERSBURG

UNCLAS BRASILIA 6930

STATE PASS COMMERCE/NOAA/NMFS

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EFIS BTRA BR
SUBJECT: JOINT SHRIMPING VENTURES IN BRAZIL

REF: STATE 195572 (NOTAL)

1. ECONOFF DELIVERY AIDE MEMOIRE OUTLINING REF PROPOSAL FOR INITIAL, EXPLORATORY MEETING BETWEEN US AND BRAZILIAN OFFICIALS AND INDUSTRY REPS TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE JOINT SHRIMPING VENTURES TO DEPUTY CHIEF OF FONMIN'S BASIC PRODUCTS DIVISION, MARCELO DIDIER, ON AUG. 19. AIDE MEMOIRE SUGGESTED LATTER DATES CITED IN REF (SETP. 26-30). (EMBASSY BELIEVED, AND DIDIER CONFIRMED THAT PLANNING TO HOLD THE MEETING ON SEPT. 5-9 WOULD NOT ALLOW GOB SUFFICIENT TIME TO ORGANIZE ITS DELEGATION AND MAKE PREPARATIONS TO RECEIVED THE US TEAM.)

2. DIDIER REACTED POSITIVELY TO THIS INITIATIVE WHICH HE SAID FONMIN WOULD HAVE TO PRESENT TO THE INTER-MINISTERIAL COMMISSION ON MARINE RESOURCES (CIRM)
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FOR APPROVAL. (CIRM IS POLICY LEVEL ORGAN HEADED BY THE NAVY MINISTER AND COMPRISED OF REPS FROM FONMIN, MIN. OF AGRICULTURE (SUDEPE), MIN. OF INDUSTRY & COMMERCE, MIN. OF TRANSPORTATION, MIN. OF MINES & ENERGY, MIN. OF EDUCATION & CULTURE, PLANNING SECRETARIAT, AND NATIONAL COUNCIL ON SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPEMENT (CNPQ).

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SPEAKING PERSONALLY, DIDIER COMMENTED THAT SAO PAULO MIGHT BE A MORE APPROPRIATE SITE FOR THE MEETING SINCE MOST OF THE MAJOR BRAZILIAN FISHING COMPANIES ARE HEADQUARTERED THERE. HE DID NOT RULE OUT, HOWEVER, VISITS TO FACILITIES IN BELEM BY ANY INTERESTED PARTIES.

3. DIDIER ALSO COMMENTED THAT THE CIRM HAD RECENTLY DRAWN UP DIRECTIVES FOR NEGOTIATING FUTURE JOINT SHRIMPING VENTURES AND THAT PRESIDENTIAL APPROVAL OF THESE GUIDELINES SHOULD BE GRANTED SOON. ALTHOUGH DIDIER UNDERSTOOD THAT THE INITIAL MEETING WOULD BE STRICTLY CONSULTATIVE IN NATURE, HE COMMENTED THAT THE GOB'S OFFICIAL POSITION ON THE SUBJECT SHOULD BE KNOWN BY THE TIME OF THE MEETING.

4. DIDIER SAID HE WOULD CONTACT ECONOFF AS SOON AS CIRM COULD CONFIRM AT LEAST THE DATES OF THE MEETING.
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